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From: Paula Schmitt diel [Schmitt diel.PaulaLNDU@usepa.onmicrosoft.com]
Sent: 3/6/2012 11:53:01 PM
To: Wharton, Steve [Wharton.Steve@epa.gov]
Subject: Re: Please respond by 3/16: RD Value Engineering Screens by USACE
Attachments: DIB0001

Steve- there won't be any RDs on VB/I-70 in 2012 that would require a VE study.
Paula

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From: Steve Wharton
Sent: 03/06/2012 04:42 PM MST
To: Mike Cirian; Frances Costanzi; Elizabeth Fagen; Michael Holmes; Linda Kiefer; Victor Ketellapper; Christina Progeess; Paula Schmitt diel; Rebecca Thomas; Scott Winters; Dania Zinner
Subject: Fw: Please respond by 3/16: RD Value Engineering Screens by USACE

To All, Please see the message below regarding VE screens/studies. The request pertains only to fund lead actions where design will be sufficiently complete to initiate the VE activity during the remainder of FY2012 or during FY2013.

The due date to HQ is Fri., 03/16, so please have the information back to me by Wed., 03/14.

Thanks,
Steve

----- Forwarded by Steve Wharton/R8/USEPA/US on 03/06/2012 04:37 PM -----

From: Bill Murray/R8/USEPA/US
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Date: 03/06/2012 09:33 AM
Subject: Fw: Please respond by 3/16: RD Value Engineering Screens by USACE

Action please.

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From: Russell Leclerc
Sent: 03/06/2012 08:53 AM MST
To: murray.bill@epa.gov
Cc: christensen.stanley@epa.gov; Steve Wharton
Subject: Fw: Please respond by 3/16: RD Value Engineering Screens by USACE
Hi Bill,

I presume that you are the lead on this information request.

Please cc me on your response to Kate Garufi.

FYI - this isn't something we track in CERCLIS so you'll have to get the info from your RPMs

Thanks,

Russ

----- Forwarded by Russell Leclerc/R8/USEPA/US on 03/06/2012 08:40 AM -----

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Date: 03/02/2012 12:45 PM

Subject: Please respond by 3/16: RD Value Engineering Screens by USACE

Branch Chiefs,

I am forwarding the email below at the request of Kate Garufi. Please respond to Kate by **Friday, March 16**.

Thanks!
Chloe

Branch Chiefs,

As you are all aware, for fund-financed remedies, the following VE requirements must be met during design before funds are obligated:

VE During Remedial Design	If the RA cost (including LTRA) is estimated to be less than \$25 Million	A VE screen, followed by a VE study, if recommended by the screen
	If the RA cost (including LTRA) is estimate to be \$25 Million or greater	A full VE study should be performed

In the past two fiscal years, the number of RD Value Engineering screens and studies being conducted by USACE has increased. In order to help USACE plan and to ensure that they can meet your time and schedule requests for these evaluations, can you please query your RPMs and see which designs you currently have underway or planned that may request USACE value engineering screen or study support for the remainder of FY 2012 and 2013.

I know that this is projecting future work and given the budget climate, there is a large degree of uncertainty. By responding to this request, this in no way locks you into using this vehicle for your VE needs. It is just a tool for me to give USACE an idea of what volume of VE work may be coming.

By March 16th, please provide the following information:

Number of VE screens

Number of VE studies

* Site names are not necessary.

Thanks!

Kate

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